Year	Amount (Rs. in crore) Allocated	Released
2000-01	9.72	4.86
2001-02	7.26	Not yet released as the State Government has not furnished the requisite expenditure statement.

Tribal belts in Gujarat

*188. SHRI AHMED PATEL: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that tribals form 15 per cent of the total pupulation of Gujarat;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the tribal belts identified in the State, district-wise;

(c) the programmes and schemes being implemented for the development of tribals in the States; and

(d) the funds allocated to the State during the last five years, year-wise and programme-wise?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) and (b) As per 191 census, the tribal pupulation of Gujarat is 61,61,775 out of total population of 4,13,09,582 which constitutes 14.92%. District-wise ITDP's MADA pockets and PTGs identified as tribal belt in Gujarat are indicated at Statement-(I). (*See* below)

(c) and (d) Except for SCA to TSP and grant under Article 275(1) of the Constitution, no specific allocation of funds are made to the States/UTs for implementation of the various Central/Centrally Sponsored schemes of this ministry. The funds are released against proposals received from State Governments. Statement showing allocation/funds released under the above two schemes and funds released under other schemes being implemented for the development of tribals in the State of Gujarat is given as Statement- II.

Statement-I

District-wise ITDP's MADA pockets and PTG's identified as tribal belts in Gujarat

Name of the District	Name of the ITDP
1) Sabarkantha	1) Khedbrahma
2) Panchmahal	2) Dahod
3) Vadodra	3) Chhotaudepur
4) Bharuch	4) Rajpipla
5) Surat-I	5) Songadh
6) Surat-II	6) Mandvi
7) Valsad	7) Vansada
8) Dangs	8) Ahwa
9) Banaskantha	9) Palanpur

Name of the Distrt	Name of MADA Pocket
1) Bharuch	1) Amod

Name of the District	Name of the PTG
Dang, Valsad, Surat, Bharuch	1) Kotwalia
Dang, Valsad, Surat, Bharuch, Sabarkantha	2) Kathodi
Valsad, Surat, Dang	3) Kolgha
Ahmedabad and Surendranagar	4) Padhar
Junagadh, Rajkot, Surendranagar, Jamnagar, Amreli, Bhavnagar	5) Siddi

Statement-II

Funds released to the State Government of Gujarat under the schemes of M/Tribal Affairs

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Scheme		1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01
1.	Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Plan	Allocation	2642.95	2534.81	2989.70	3139.98	3139.98
		Release	2642.95	2632.77	3689.70	3139.98	3139.98
2	Grant under article 275(1) on the constitution	Allocation	675.00	675.00	675.00	900.00	1350.00
		Release	675.00	625.00	450.00	900.70	2250.00
3	Girls Hostel		—	—	4.02	6.25	—
4	Boys Hostel		—	—	2.29	3.00	—
5	Vocational Training Centre		101.89	86.35	67.50	67.50	—
6	Ashram Schools		21.60	—	175.29	83.17	—
7	Res. & Trg. (TRIs)		.	9.47		14.15	
8	Grant-in-aid to State TDCCs		50.00	123.89	—	150.00	150.00
9	Village Grain Banks		17.92	19.20	14.72	—	100.0
10	Development of Primitive Tribal Groups		—	—	—	—	—
11	State Tribal Development Finance Corp.		—	—	—	—	—
12	Post Matric Scholarship		307.98	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Bidding Discontent

*189. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of DISINVESTMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Govenment's attention has been drawn to the news-item captioned "Bidding Discontent" which appreared in the Outlook, dated 19th November, 2001;

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) the steps taken, so far, to make the valuation process transparent and acceptable within Government's own agencies?

THE MINISTER OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE): (a) to (c) The disinvestment in Central Public Sector Undertakings is carried out through the process of Inter- Ministerial consultations and normally an Inter-Ministerial